

Investor and Regional Center Unit Mission and Organization

Mission:

The Investor and Regional Center Unit (IRCU) is a special project team within the Business and Trade Branch, Office of Program and Regulations Development. The new unit has oversight for all policy and regulatory development, form design and training regarding the EB-5 Program and Regional Center adjudications.

To carry out its mission, IRCU works closely with the Office of Service Center Operations (SCOPS), the California and Texas service centers, field offices, and the Department of State's Bureau of Consular Affairs in the administration of the law, and clarifying processing procedures regarding the adjudication of I-526 and related I-829 alien investor petitions. IRCU maintains liaison and works closely with SCOPS and the Office of Fraud Detection and National Security related to EB-5 and regional center program integrity, fraud detection and prevention.

IRCU provides outreach to the business community, professional associations and coordinates with DHS and other federal agencies as directed, and participates on panels and public forums about the EB-5 program, regulations, and policies.

IRCU Organizational Structure Within PRD

